on a visit to his brother.

b Brandenberger and wife, son City, are visiting in this city.

Flors Ringo returned from City to-day where she has no relatives. Wm. Norton, of Carlisle,

Audrain on a visit to her ire. Jos. Ringo. Ringo brought in some of new corn to-day that

ine as we ever saw. Crosse Lumber Company up large signs over all

eading into the city. Esgon, of the Windsor the spent last week in St. med home last night.

Simmie Jones, of Martinsthe guest of her friend. nnie Baskett, of this city.

eart, who lives in Burling. unexpectedly.

y looking after the inter-

Columbia to attend a

en C. Johnson, for quite a

B. Reighley and Miss fine and he bought

Consultation free.

Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. et, died Saturday, Sept. sembraneous croup. The ere taken to Antioch, ounty, and buried Sunday

win, the optician, will be

case a pitiable one and seething mass. tedly her mind is de-

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In all the leading shades. BLUM & CO.

At Prices That Will Surprise You. A LARGE LINE OF PEANDE-SOIR BLANKETS CALL AND SEE THEM.

WORCESTER NEWS.

life, is up and about. He called to

see us and was looking very well.

given to William Coleman.

of Worcester.

Mr. W. P. Atkins gave the young

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Is complete this season in every

respect, consisting of

TABLE SETS, ALL KINDS LINENS,

TABLE LINENS, NAPKINS, TOWELS.

Two Country Boys Arrested For Robbing Iiams-One of Them Said to Have Confessed.

As stated in Saturday's LEDGER Isaac Isams, of Worcester, Mo., people a dance at his place last was held up and robbed by highfriends to give a brief account of Wednesday night. Fifty young- waymen on Friday night. Marcus my trip to this part of our great sters enjoyed themselves until the Psge and Ira Fanning, two young men who live in the neighborhood, State, I improve the opportunity wee hours of the night.

J. H. Hardisty to-day brought were arrested and brought to Mexnow afforded by an hour of leisure J. H. Hardisty to-day brought in a Sunday and bound over in a suit vs. Geo. Miller, for \$765 for ico Sunday and bound over in a We arrived in this pretty little work, before L. P. Crigler, Justice sum of \$500 each, to appear before city, over the Alton, yesterday of the Peace. Friday, the 26th, is the next grand jury. Young Page's father went on the bonds. The Our public school, under the young men are about 19 years old and have borne good reputations.

Mr. Iiams was robbed of \$40management of Miss Mamie Carter, and have borne good reputations. Mrs. H. W. Cox, who has been all the money he had with him have undergone a marked change visiting in Henry county, returned Rumor says young Page has confessed and returned the money. Mr. J. H. Carter's writing school This report, however, is denied. to-day, and the barren prairie wilds has closed. The prize for the The highwaymen, whoever they greatest improvement was finally were, acted like green hands and The Methodists and Presbyte-Ithe time thought it a joke, and rians are holding a joint protract. says he is sure Page and Fanning ed meeting at Wesley Chapel, and are the right parties. They had the Holiness Band has moved to their faces blacked and wore hand-Rush Hill, where they think the kerchiefs, with eye-holes in them. work of the Lord is needed. They over their faces and talked all the had one joiner at Wesley Chapel. time they were holding the "old Mr. Powell Morris, who has been man" up. As he came out of a very sick, is convalescent, under blind road into the Rush Hillthe treatment of Dr. E. J. Cornett, Worcester road, the robbers, who

parties are arres'ed. owns 200 acres of Audrain land The A. O. U. W. to Have a lodge

The sick list is on the increase. Little Clarence Atkinson, Little U. W. to become strong and grow Call and see us. Dee Atkins and Mr. Morris are from the start. quite sick. Dr. Cornett is meeting

Always bear in mind that Mc-Loney & Frank can offer to sell goods for less than any other house

Richard Clemmens and his wife had quite a matinee last night at were 3,400 head; the shipments their home on Clark avenue. It seems Richard went home in a higher. The sales ranged as folboilerous state of intoxication and lows: Good to fancy native in "Jakes" saloon to Moses Maybegan to malign and mistreat his steers, \$4.40a5.00; fair to good steers, field and will at once move to The safe of W. W. Woolfolk, began to malign and mistreat his steers, \$4.40a5.00; fair to good steers, field and will at once move to The safe of W. W. Woolfolk, began to make the contral of the contral good wife in a most pitiable way, at \$2 30a3 30; Texans and Indian has accepted a good position with last night by some one who knew when she, furious with rage and steers, quoted at \$2.50a3.50; range a wholesale gent's clothing house the combination and \$1,000 worth

St. Louis boots and shoes to the front. The workmen making them butchers' grades, quoted at \$4 00a4 40; butchers' grades not quoted; eat Missouri beet, eggs, butter, 50 Mr. Francis Becker sent us the etc. Ask for Tennent Stribling

> greatest electrical display ever not quoted. made on earth, will be open until October 18th. The Wabash offers the u-ual low rates to and from St. Louis. Particulars of the nearest ticket agent.

If you trade where you can buy side of neck. Shod in front. Send the best goods for the least money information to R. E. Bently, Weils- and see him. you will trade with McLoney

ARE THEY HIGHWAYMEN?

must have known he was coming, Mr. J. W. Crigler and wife pass- pulled their pistols on him and school, Salamander works and ed through Worcester on their way told him to hold up his hands and give up his "dust." Thinking it

to Paris to visit relatives.

county. If you want to buy him trust they may be able to prove truly distressed and Mrs. Elliott go around and plank down \$200. their innocence. Mr. liams thinks, was trantic with grief. At least He is a natural saddle and harness beyond a doubt, that the right five hundred people were engaged

Mr. Paige is trafficking with Mr. Graham of Middletown, Mr. Paige and Mr. Graham business and residence property in Pike. The trade is not yet consummated We hope Mr. Paige will stay with us. A O U. W. Lolge, of Mexico,

passed through Worcester last Sat-night in answer to an invitation

in Mexico. Call and see it they

Shoe Co.'s shoes. For sale and S4.4084.00.

Sheep and Lambs—The receipts gratulations to the happy couple warranted by Turner, Jackson & to-day were 1 300 head; the ship-who will make Audrain their

The Great St. Louis Exposition at eady. Fair to choice grades of sheep were quoted at \$4.50a5.10; Be sure and let La Crosse Lumber Co. to figure your bill. They will save you money.

wards' New Gallery. He has all new styles in scenery. 16 1-2, P.

We have recently added a

Cloak -:- Department!

And now have the Nicest and Most Con venient Place in the City to Show Cloaks. Call and see them.

This department will have all

of the latest novelties in Ladies'.

Misses' and Children's Wraps.

Every lady within 50 miles of Mexico is earnestly requested to call and inspect for themselves.

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150 PAIRS

-OF-

LADIES':-SHOES!

THIS PARTICULAR LINE OF GOODS.

ARE SELLING THEM AT 25 PER CT. OFF. NICE GOODS--ALL SIZES!

did so much talking that liams at EVERY PAIR WARRANTED! Call and See These Elegant Goods.

E. Settle.

N. E. Cor. Square, Mexico. Mo.

NOT KIDNAPED.

Children Found in Bed at a Neighbor's About Midnight.

There was great excitement in in the search and the fire bell was rung for hours. The ringing of the bell was the means of discovery as Charley McGee come down town at

.uidnight "to see where the fire was." When informed of the trouble he said the children came to his house and took supper, saying their mothers had told them they could stay all night. As they were playmates of his children he thought it was all right. The parents of the children

desire to thank the public for assisting so promptly in the search. Buy your lumber of La Crosse Lumber Co. at Laddonia, Vandalla Mexico Auxyasse and Fulton.

GET THE BEST!

For Sale or Rent.

000 worth. That law is repealed My farm of 253 acres, 4 mile by the new silver bill, except that west of Mexico, finely improved, Call on WM. BARRY.

La Crosse Lumber Co., wholesal Republican party at the present session really demonstrates silver

H. Jacobson has sold his interest

Matthews-Ely. Married, at the residence of the bride's parents in West Mexico at settle their account without further 4 p. m. to-day, by Rev. E. K. Miller, Miss D. Ely and Nelson Matthews. The LEDGER extends con-

For Sale.

Five good brood mares, all in foal, and one fine Duluth stallion 1td 1t w J. H. DILLIARD, Four miles north of Mexico.

JOHN M. DYKE

Mexico, Mo.

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Gas and Steam Fitter,

-AND DEALER IN-

Hydrants and Pond Checks.

The Rush Hill Creamery will

open on October 6. The highest

market price will be paid for milk.

Farmers should call now and make

contracts. Skimmed milk will be

"One of the Best."

From the Sedalia Bazoo.

The Mexico Ledger has just

celebrated its fourteenth anniver-

sary under its present management

and the fact is noted by R. M.

White, its editor and proprietor,

with pride. Mr. White has a right

Bland Silver Bill.

The Bland silver law required

T. HORN,

E. FEUTZ.

Proprietors.

ALL KINDS

Just Gone Visiting-The Lost

slays 175 schocks per day. He straight to Page's father, who lived Mexico last night on account of GAS & WATER PIPE. All kinds of Valves and Fittings, Pond three year old in this section of the such a desperate deed, and we parents of the little folks were Office in U. S. Express building, op

to be proud. He took the LEDGER We can sell you the Great En- when it was in the sere and yellow cyclopædia Brittannica, unaltered leaf of decay and he has by inand unabridged, in 25 volumes, for domitable pluck, energy and abili-They can't play good enough to belong to the present times.

We trust those who take an in\$38.40, the only complete edition published for less than \$120. You ty made it one of the best weekly can pay for it by the month, and if Mrs. W. T. Newman, who has good timber there to make a fine you want an Encyclopædia this is Bob, and may you live to celebrate been visiting in Illinois for six working lodge. Hine,'s school only a little more than you will the fiftieth anniversary of your exweeks, has returned to her almost house is located in the garden have to pay for incomplete and cellent sheet. the coinage of not less than \$2,000,-000 worth of silver bullion per SALLEE & CRADDOCK. month, and not more than \$4,000,-

the comage of silver dollars is to continue under the old law for one year from the passage of the preson farm, or ent law, after which no more silver Shea & Waddington, Mexico. dollars need be coined. So the boasted silver law enacted by the

permanent home.

w-2-m d-8-t. W.S. HATHAWAY. Tom Roberts has moved his restaurant and lunch counter one door south of Roden & Altepeter's grocery store, on west side of Washington street, where he would potatoes. be pleased to have all his old customers, as well as new ones, call

ashamed to show your friends. Edwards' New Gallery beats them ail, 16 1 2 P. O. Block. d3tw1t

Having sold my drug business

The boys have got the goods and

I will pay the highest market

price in cash for all varieties of

good, sound apples handled in a

W. S. Hathaway has just receiv-

don't forget they make the prices.
4td 2tw. McLoney & Frank.

The best line of men's underwear in Mexico just arrived at McLoney



One of the Remarkable and Wonderful Sights in the

his drug store painted and Norris is having a rock

myself loitering through one of Fry left last night for those high mesa-like parks so comand Hannibal on legal mon in the Rocky Mountains. The air was soft and balmy, and the Saker, of Pulaski county, heavy-topped pines soughed so bere to educate his musically and cast their dense shades and exhalted their resinous ordors so delightfully that I was in no hurry to go on. Southward was a graded ascent for some dismis, of Louisiana, is in denly upward into a high crest, till

tance, then the ground swept sudagainst the unusually blue sky it was turreted with tremendous castout for Weiner & Bick's tle-shaped rocks-clear cut and shoe advertisement in the frowning-showing how much higher all this had once been. Between these rocks were wide open spaces, as though another mesa might be there, or a long slope of descent beyond might here have its begin-Suddenly I hear the low mutter

of a gathering storm in the distance before me. Nearer and nesser it seemed to come, but the air around me gave no indications of change, save a peculiar softness. A storm anywhere is a grand sight, but a rocks, judging that from them I would have a splendid view of the commotion. Louder roared the Lott and wife leave this had heard many tales of hunters

myself shuddering on the verge of a canon so deep that I could not see its bottom. Having just left my see its bottom. Having just left my consider the South of camp on a large fork of the South

where in that great beyond of crag and chasm it was crashing ominously. But not a trace of it could my love detect. Above the and the most rotten game for L C Trimble W Here in that great beyond of crag and chasm it was crashing ominously. But not a trace of it could my love detect. Above the and the most rotten game for L C Trimble W Here in that great beyond of crag and chasm it was crashing ominously. But not a trace of it could my love detect. Above the and the most rotten game for L C Trimble W H Here in that great beyond of crag and country of it. Butters in the descott, W.C. Wallace, James berry and Tom Roberts.

Interesting talks were in the descott, W.C. Wallace, James berry and the feat of the forever "Past Times," berry and that, too, after worcester interesting talks were in the descott, W.C. Wallace, James berry and the feat of the forever "Past Times," berry and that, too, after worcester interesting talks were in the descott, W.C. Wallace, James berry and the feat of the forever "Past Times," berry and the feat of the forever "Past Times," berry and the feat of the forever "Past Times," berry and the feat of the forever "Past Times," berry and the feat of the forever "Past Times," berry and the feat of the forever "Past Times," berry and the feat of the forever "Past Times," berry and the feat of the forever "Past Times," berry and the feat of the forever "Past Times," berry and the feat of the forever "Past Times," berry and the feat of the forever "Past Times," berry and the feat of the f my eyes detect. Above, the sun stormy mutter. Two days later I M. Blum............. -1 00 Vandania, twenty miles east of here, canon ran westward, apparently obsson, of Mound City, half a mile (I suspect it was much who has been visiting his more), then curving gracefully but it seemed to tower over me. I: dropped into and climbed out of A. Carter sometime ago crevice after crevice, and then down the bluff's walls into the Miss Lula Price, left last fragments. But the larger por-Kansas City to visit tion came floating across the canon ing's daughter, Mrs. as gracefully as a gossamer, directly toward me. I knew this was

all to consult Dr. Lewin the storm king's herald. Crashed nesday until Saturday, again the thunder "the rattling will wear better, fit better and look our eyes. Remember crags among," till the very rocks better than any custom shoe made. ept. 24 to 28, at Windsor trembled, and turning my eyes a Turner, Jackson & Co. keep and little westward I saw, sweeping guarantee them. with a grace and majesty I cannot attempt to picture, around the can-

ed half as high above it. I STOOD ENTRANCED as it bore down upon me-a surg. er buildings were burned up, to the Main until Saturday, ing, boiling wave of vapor. Time value of \$12,000. We learn there pure. where he can be consulted and again I saw the lightning s was little or no insurence on any your eyes, and the zigzag flash cleave the frowning of the property burned. of glasses. Office at front from top to bottom. Across McLoney & Frank carry the best L. E. Foree, hving in the streaks seemed, in twos and threes, county. ortion of the city, is re- to chase each other. The booming J. T. Screggins, of near Farber, be insane. She talks thunders never ceased, and great was in Mexico this week en route and so incoher- whirls of air-not tornado-like, but to Clinton where he will place his her neighbors fear rather gentle—seemed to waltz in a daughter, Miss Eva, and Miss Delia

> Nearer it came with a peculiar stealth, a sort of rolling motion, arrived at McLoney & Frank's, LaGre

NEW GOODS!

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Now is Your Time.

Vic Barth,

At the "Golden Eagle." storm in the mountains is always and great fragments of cloud would worth observing. So upward I would break off and go floating struggled toward the castellated fleecily down the slope which I. The Fund for an Ex-Confederhad just ascended. Long filmy streams above were stretching themselves forward as though imthunder, steeper grew the gra e patient at the slowness of the great reported the following have con-

sart, who lives in Burling.

UPON BEARS

UPON BEARS

Soon I noticed that my hands hept wiping at my face to free it from a cobweb-like sensation, and similar to the one I had just climb-and Miss Lena Kunkel, and Miss Len lenced, fascinated. mountain side whence I had come, A. S. Houston. 1 00 place.

the canon yawned, and beyond there stretched away a reach of hazy billows of cone and forest and the great rain cloud that had rolled to the great rain cloud that had valley. From where I stood the down its canon by my feet. 2 o'clock at the Cathurch by Father Dempsey.

In the Cathurch by Father Dempsey.

In the Cathurch of F W. Dearing and grand- chasm, long, clinging, fleecy

on's curve the full front, perhaps Tuesday at a little past 1 nearly half a mile in height, of a o'clock a. m. The large implement Wm. Galloway..... great storm-cloud billow. It filled house of Tucker & Berghauser the chasm's fearful depth and float- valued at \$5,000, and all its con- J. D. McKee....

its perpendicular face the dazzling line of boots and shoes in Audrain missing and had met with foul

and instrumental music.

JAMES NEWTON BASKETT. ventional black. The happy couple will reside on the groom's fine

STILL GROWING.

ate Home Steadily Increases. In addition to those heretofore

and more rapid my steps and breathing. The storm was evidently coming towards me and I knew that if it reached the crest before 1 the last the rocks were my only shelter. At last I stood in the shadow of an immense rock as large as two or three city courtt from Eminence, Ky.,
spent the summer with
spent the summer with
the watch for wild animals; for I
had heard many tales of hunters

around me and beneath me,
like some living thing of strength
and purposes and, thunder deafened, lightning-blinded, mist confused,
my breath thickened with an air

J. F. Liewellyn

2 50
counties. Prof. McCue informed
J. R. Johnson

2 50
us that more than thirty of the unfortunates were in his care, while
my breath thickened with an air
J. B. Harrison

2 00
the had sent a number of others over that was vapory, ozoned a d sul- Jack Gough...... 2 00 other roads in charge of other permit their daughter, Mrs. stumbling, with serious results, phurous, I stood there, awed, si- Alex. Carter, Sr. 200 sons. He stated that the school

Mr. John Douglass, of near Ben-on City, married Miss Frankie Mrs. Nath Wilson, D. C. 1 00 mines. There are no flies on Van-dalia, and the dead men there are announced last week. The attend- J. P. Dobyns...... 1 00 side its cemetery. ants were Miss Boone and Mr. J. T. Johnson...... 1 00 bride wore a beautiful wine color- H. S. Steppelman 1 00

Buy Tennent Stribling Shoe Co.'s

tents went up in smoke. J. A. Cash..... Franklin's saddlery as well as oth-

New and stylish line of hats just

Use LaCrosse Lumber Co. ready Andrew Meyer, a brother-in-law of Wm. Kemper, is down South on a visit. The report that he was play is without foundation. He sides getting better grades. told Mr. Kemper he was going should you not do the same? South on a visit.

All Tennent Stribling Shoe Co.'s custom boots and shoes made in Louis and Pacific R. R., damages. are to be sent to the sort of mazy involution — graceful Williams in Baird College. Miss St. Louis by honest labor. No Mary E. Hoselton vs. Amos The family physician re- and bewildering - all through the Eva graduates this year in vocal penitentiary work. Ask for them Hoselton, divorce. at Turner, Jackson & Co.'s and Don't buy without first calling on

nce of the Ledger. WORCESTER, Sept. 23 .- John L Carnes, after battling so long for

AUDRAIN COUNTY. An Interesting Letter Which Speaks the Truth About our Farming Lands.

LADDONIA, Mo., Sept. 15 .-Having promised a number of State, I improve the opportunity wee hours of the night.

to fulfill the promise. morning, and stepped upon the the day set for trial. same old platform from which 17 years ago we boarded our first railroad train, on a dark cold night in is progressing finely. December. Scenes about here since that time, and the small ham- home last week. let of yore is a thriving little city of then are now the sites of pleasant homes and substantial business

The failure of the Wabash to con nect with the Alton train at Mexco compelled us to lay over at that place several hours. We at once ought out our old time friend, Willard Potts, who entertained us quite royally during our detention. While there we enjoyed a most deightful drive about the city behind his fast stepper, visiting the Hardin college, Fleet military other points of interest. Mexico is progressive town, beauufully situated, with a large territory inex haustible in resources tributary.

he State institution at that place W. O. Johnson 2 00 this winter would be well attended.

R. N. Armstrong 100 attractions, principal of which were

Thos Atchison 100 ance of the Grand Lodge of Mis Geo. Kabrich 100 ance of the Grand Lodge of messons

J. G. Head...... 1 00 the action of the Sovereign Grand W. W. Nichols.... 100 Lodge which was in session at J. T. Fields...... 1 00 Topeka, Kansas. The State Grand W. A. Hunter 100 Lodge of Missouri added to the C. C. Cardwell 100 J. D. Morris 1 00 in the liquor traffic, but the body strongly oppose such intolerant 50 measures, and foiled the dropsi-50 cal intentions of said State Lodge.

the amendment, illegal.

New Suits Filed.

TOPEKA, Sept. 20 .- The Sov-

following message :

Steive and Ellbogen vs. Mark Pilcher, debt. Gilbert Elliott vs. G. Blum, note. O. Block.

Strother Underwood is happy a joke he argued sometime, but now. He was telling us of the finally found out they were in dandy corn cutting machine that earnest and shelled out. He went

says "That in ten years men can near by, and told him he was sure two little gir s being lost. Edith do their farm work in a week or his son had robbed him. It is Galloway, aged 6, and pessie Elliott, ten days, when the long drudger- reported that the party who plan- aged 5 years, were found to be misstes of toil will be no more." This ned the robbery was not with the ing at supper time, and were not Boller Feed Pumps, Injectors, Inspirawill be a great relief to our friend parties who did the work, but will found until midnight, when they will be a great relief to our friend parties who did the work, but will found until midnight, when they f the first water.

think that two neighborhood boys
Lebb Crigler drives the best with good reputations should do

Mr. Tomnie Wright, of Mexico, went to Hiner's school house last

camp on a large lork of the South Platte, I did not suspect the presand left behind me the grandest Wm. Thomas 100
By Hinstrels will appear at ence of another in this region.

The finishing game between the R. M. Allison, A. G. Gass, W. H.

Workester and Santa Fe base ball teams was played at Mexico park White, J. T. Bunton, A. J. Win
The finishing game between the R. M. Allison, A. G. Gass, W. H.

Workester and Santa Fe base ball teams was played at Mexico park White, J. T. Bunton, A. J. Winlast Saturday, resulting in the de- scott, W.C. Wallace, James Quisenand that, too, after Worcester Interesting talks were made by played the most rotten game for J. G. Trimble, W. H. H. Lee, J. four innings on record. "Past J Winscott and E. S. Frest.

ter, that she has returned.

with unparalleled success.

indignation, pounced upon him sters, not quoted.

ereign Grand Lodge pronounced Company.
the action of the Grand Lodge of The Great

No old back dates made at Ed-

A NEW LODGE.

from prominent citizens there who

panic stricken husband. We are spot of Audrain, which is peopled less than half the matter in the glad, on account of our friend Wal. by our most substantial and pros- original edition. The first seven perous farmers It is just the volumes are now ready for delivery place for an order like the A. O. and will be complete by Dec. 1

You are saving one profit by buy-ing of La Crosse Lumber Co.

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 23 .- The good frame barn, all well fenced. National Stock Yards, of East St. Louis, furnishes the following quotations: CATTLE-The receipts to-day

and flogged him unmercifully, Hogs—The receipts to-day were and his many friends here wish of watches and jewelry was stolen. striking him over the head with a 500. Market was lower. The stick of wood and brusing him up sales ranged as follows: Fair to choice heavy were quoted at \$4.45a

\$4.40a4.50.

ville, Mo.

Strayed. Strayed, from my residence at Wellsville, a dark bay pony, mare, 14 hands high; branded on left hip with a bar H; white spot on left

light, fair to choice, quoted at

ments were 500. The market was

Be sure and call and inspect La Crosse Lumber Co.' sstock Proofs shown with pleasure at datwit Edwards' New Gallery.

No more pictures that you are

